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nothing, say nothing, be
nothing."

- Elbert Hubbard

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Time to grade your prof

BY BARBARA DUMOULIN
NEWS EDITOR

It's one of the few highlights of the last days of the semester: student evaluations of faculty.

Each semester, faculty members at SIUE hand out evaluation forms in classes so their teaching skills can be assessed by students.

These forms are collected but not seen by faculty members until the after grades are posted for the semester.

The evaluation forms are developed and reviewed on a department-by-department basis. One thing that is consistent among the departments is the emphasis that is placed on evaluations by those reviewing them.

Dixie Engelman, associate dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, said evaluations are an important part of the decision-making process for promotions and retention of faculty.

According to Engelman, tenure, a six-year process that begins when a faculty member is hired, requires that the university assess instructors from the first semester they teach at SIUE.

"The very first year we're required to determine if we're going to keep that person," she said. "In order to make that decision, we look at their teaching, scholarship and service.

In the College of Arts and Sciences, 50 percent of their effort has to be in the area of teaching which makes student evaluations so important, and not just filling in the little boxes, but the comments as well."

English professor Eugene Violette said he thinks the evaluations are helpful no matter how long an instructor has been teaching.

"I look at them all very seriously and very carefully," Violette said. "Students will say things that are correct and need to be addressed and we're happy to do so."

While faculty and administration seem to be in accord in stressing the importance of the forms, there is wide variation in student reaction to evaluations.

Raymond Caruso, a biology senior, said one fault of the forms is that students often have no idea what happens after completing the forms. "You fill them out and never have that instructor again," he said.

Caruso also said he recently had a mid-semester evaluation in one of his classes that took up an entire class period. He felt it was very effective. According to Caruso, another faculty member conducted a verbal session with the students and summarized the results for his instructor.

"Why tell them something

after the fact when you could let them know while they can still do something," Caruso said.

Kent Flake, a junior in computer science, said he hasn't seen changes come out of the process.

"I don't think anybody pays attention to them," Flake said. "I had two classes last semester that the teachers were awful. Everybody in class filled out the comments on the back side of the form. I haven't heard about anybody doing anything. They're both just as bad as last semester. Both of them have been around for a long time. One was tenured and one was doing research."

Flake said he had friends in the department that had these same instructors several years ago and said the teachers were the same then.

The feelings expressed by Flake about tenured teachers was echoed by other students who said they felt newer faculty members paid more attention to the evaluations and were more willing to make changes.

One student who wished to remain anonymous said, "I think it's pointless. If doesn't do any good anyway. If a teacher has tenure, no matter what you say, they're not going to fire them. It's a very long, drawn-out process."

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Bob Brown/Alestle

Pre-schoolers from the SIUE Early Childhood Center climb aboard farm equipment that was part of the Center's third annual vehicle day on Friday.

SIUE team studies energy from trash

BY JENNIFER A. BOWEN
NEWS STRINGER

Susan Morgan, assistant professor of civil engineering, and Raghu Bollini, professor of electrical and computer engineering, have received a \$75,000 grant from St. Louis County to study the feasibility of turning garbage dumps into energy producers.

Morgan, Bollini and a team of civil, environmental and electrical engineering researchers will try to determine if building a plant to generate electricity from the methane gas produced by landfills is economically feasible for the county government complex in downtown Clayton, Mo.

"The complex, which includes a jail, offices and courthouses uses a lot of electricity," Morgan said. "The county wants to examine whether electrical generation from local landfills may be an alternative

energy source when deregulation is implemented."

The research project, "The Effect of Deregulation on Efficient Energy Utilization of Building Complexes," will examine how federal deregulation of electrical utility companies will affect the county's possible use of this alternative energy source. The project will also study the implementation of energy conservation measures.

The garbage in landfills produces methane gas, a combustible greenhouse gas, and carbon dioxide as it decomposes. The resulting flammable gas is very similar to natural gas and can be harnessed and used to provide electricity.

Each person in the United States generates about 4.5 pounds of waste per day, or almost 1 ton per year, most of which is dumped in landfills.

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New editor to take over the Alestle

ALESTLE STAFF REPORT

The Student Publications Board of Directors has announced the appointment of R. John Klimut as the editor in chief of the Alestle beginning May 24.

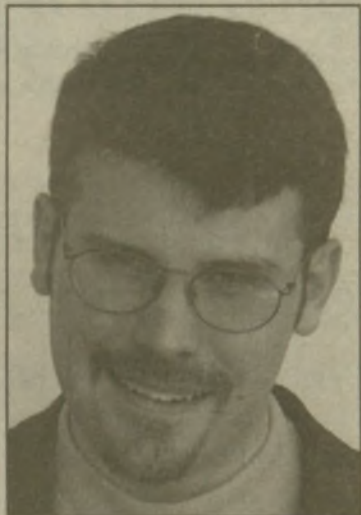
Klimut, an undeclared sophomore, has worked for the Alestle for the past two semesters as a reporter and assistant news editor.

Klimut said he looks forward to his new challenge. "I believe there are a lot of positives in the paper right now. Danielle (Belton) did a lot to lay a strong foundation on which I hope to build," he said.

Klimut hopes to add new sections to the paper to further inform readers of the world around them. Possibilities include technology and health and fitness sections.

Klimut welcomes writers from all majors. "We have a strong staff, however, we are always looking for more writers with different perspectives," he said.

Danielle Belton has served as editor in chief for the past four semesters. Belton, who will graduate in December, is giving up her post to complete an internship this summer.



Mark Wood/Alestle

R. John Klimut, new Alestle editor in chief

SIUE student blazing a path through the business world

BY WENDY WOODY
NEWS STRINGER

Sound ideas have turned into a profitable business for SIUE student entrepreneur Jason Maneke.

Maneke, 23, a mass communications major and English minor, created Jammin' Productions two years ago with business partner and fellow radio personality Kerry McCracken. Initially, they offered their expertise to area businesses that needed electronic media services such as radio jingles, commercials or video advertisements. They also set up deejay services for a variety of

events.

At the time, Maneke had his doubts about how successful their commercial media production company would be.

"I was definitely the pessimist at first," Maneke said. "I was told that it usually takes a couple of years for a new business to see any profit, so I was surprised when we broke even after just the first year."

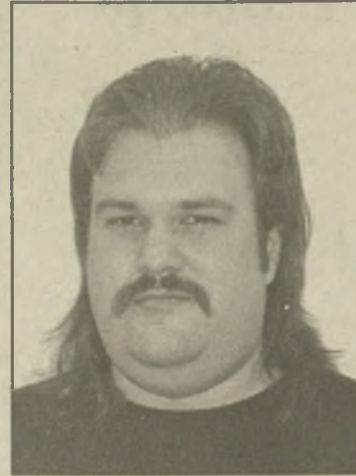
According to Maneke, business just keeps getting better. In fact, McCracken and Maneke reorganized the company in January under the name Macrac Inc. in order to reflect the increased demand on their variety of services.

"Jammin' Productions still deals with the video and audio-visual production aspects, while our Masters of Ceremony division organizes deejay events," Maneke said.

Masters of Ceremony is also responsible for events such as Rock N Bowl. According to Maneke, Rock N Bowl transforms a bowling alley into more of a party atmosphere.

"We turn down the lights, crank up the music, and vary the lighting," Maneke said. "It's an event reminiscent of cosmic bowl, and it's gone over really well."

Edwardsville's Montclair Bowl hosts Rock N Bowl from



Bob Brown/Alestle

Jason Maneke

10 to 1 p.m. every Friday. Maneke said that other alleys have also contacted Macrac, interested in booking similar

engagements.

"I'm really looking forward to this year," Maneke said.

Another project that Maneke has experienced commercial success with is Alley Ads, a Jammin' Productions service. Alley Ads creates video advertisements on bowling alley monitors for local businesses, especially for display during league play.

"With Alley Ads, there's no limit," said Maneke.

According to Maneke, his success is a result of practical experience in radio broadcasting combined with a solid education, which provided him with video production expertise.

Campus Scanner

Free comedian: The University Center Board is sponsoring a comedian 7 p.m. Wednesday in Meridian Hall of Morris University Center. Spanky is coming to SIUE as part of a "Men Are Sluts" tour. The performance is free and open to the public.

UHTV broken: Campus television, UHTV-6 has had a major equipment failure. The modulator has died and will take several months to replace. UHTV-6 will resume operation in late

August on Channel 96 and will be renamed UHTV-96.

Shakespeare reading: The Shakespeare Birthday Mini-Marathon Reading will be 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. Thursday in Peck Hall Room 3117. The reading, sponsored by the Department of English Language and Literature, is open to everyone. A selection of Shakespeare's sonnets and non-dramatic poetry will be read. For more information, call 650-3188, or

e-mail jskiblo@siue.edu.

Six Flags: The UCB is offering reduced priced tickets for a Saturday trip to Six Flags. Tickets are \$13 for students and \$17.50 for others and are on sale at Union Station. Each person buying a ticket will also received a complimentary parking pass. There is no transportation provided by the UCB. For additional information, contact Kimmel Leadership

Center at 650-2686.

Springfest celebration: "Party Like It's Springfest '99" is the theme of this year's annual celebration that runs from Tuesday through Thursday in the Quadrangle. Springfest features food, games, live music, the popular ice cream sundae in a canoe, an Oreo cookie stacking contest, a limbo competition and other fun. For more information, call 650-2686.

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Police incidents

Ambulance call

Police and an ambulance responded to a call at Cougar Village where a female was hyperventilating at 7:12 p.m. April 13. The victim was transported to Anderson Hospital by the Edwardsville Ambulance service.

Ambulance call

Police and an ambulance responded to a call at Dunham Hall where a student fainted before going on stage for a play at 9:31 p.m. April 13. Edwardsville Ambulance service transported the student to Anderson Hospital.

Theft

A student from Cougar Village reported someone stole the rear license plate from her car and keyed the trunk lid while it was parked in lot 4E at 4:08 p.m. April 12. There are no suspects or witnesses.

Theft

A student reported she parked her car in lot 6 and locked it at 8:50 a.m. April 12. When she returned at 2:00 p.m. she found several items missing, valued at \$126. There are no signs of forced entry. Police are continuing their investigation.

Theft

A student from Woodland Hall reported someone entered her room and stole her wallet out of her purse at 1:23 p.m. She suspects it was taken during a fire alarm. The wallet contained \$60, a driver's license and credit cards. Police are continuing their investigation.

DUI

Police arrested Robert Stille, 42, of Edwardsville for driving under the influence of alcohol at 12:46 a.m. April 12. Stille was stopped on St. Louis Street in Edwardsville. Stille posted \$100 bond and his driver's license and was released.

Arrest

The Troy police arrested Haley Carter, 32, of Troy on an active SIUE felony warrant for theft at 9:30 p.m. April 11. Haley was issued a recognizance bond and was released.

Traffic accident

Police investigated a traffic accident in Cougar Village lot 4-F at 5:36 p.m. April 11. Adnan Mundres, 28, of Edwardsville was driving south in the lot when Tamara Tate, 25, of Edwardsville backed out of a parking space, striking the left rear side of Mundres' car. Tate was issued a state citation for driving with an expired registration decal.

Theft

A student reported someone stole the rear license plate off his car when it was parked in Cougar Village lot 5-L at 5:20 p.m. April 11. Police are continuing their investigation.

Arrest

Officers stopped to assist a motorist on the side of Bohm Road at 2:27 a.m. April 11. The stop resulted in the arrest of Dathon Cato, 27, of East Alton on two counts of unlawful delivery of alcohol. Timothy Main, 18, of East Alton was arrested for unlawful

consumption of alcohol and a juvenile was also charged for unlawful consumption of alcohol, possession of drug equipment and illegal transportation of alcohol by a passenger. The three were turned over to the Edwardsville police as suspects in an investigation.

Theft

A faculty member reported someone stole 28 Cardinal baseball tickets out of his opened briefcase in his office in Alumni Hall at 11:22 a.m. April 10. The tickets were valued at \$465. Police are continuing the investigation.

Criminal damage to property

Police arrested Jaimal Shelton, 25, of Fairview Heights for criminal damage to state-supported property at 1:48 a.m. April 10. Shelton was involved in an altercation with another person and damaged a wall in an apartment in Cougar Village. Shelton was issued a notice to appear and was released.

Warrant arrest

Police arrested Adefini Akisanya, 18, of Edwardsville on an active warrant from St. Clair County for failure to appear in court on a speeding charge at 11:05 p.m. April 9. Akisanya posted \$100 bond and was released.

Theft

A student reported her Sony CD player and speakers were stolen at a party on April 5. Police are continuing the investigation.

FACULTY

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Some students said they were reluctant to be completely truthful on evaluations of faculty members in their own department if they were going to have the same instructor in the future because they feared repercussions if the instructor recognized their handwriting.

While Engelman said the appropriate procedure is for the department chair to summarize the evaluations and present the summaries to the instructors, a number of faculty members told the Alestle they see the actual forms.

Business management chair

Donald Strickland said he thinks part of the reason for misconceptions about evaluations is that while they are very important, they are only a part of the performance evaluation faculty members undergo.

Strickland said there are other ways to evaluate the effectiveness of a faculty member such as reviewing the syllabus of an instructor to determine the level of work in classes, whether the things they are doing in class are current, and what standards instructors set for class performance.

"Performance appraisal is a multi-phased process and (evaluations) are only one part of it," Strickland said. "They are taken seriously if they are embedded in a performance appraisal process that is utilized."

Several instructors also said students need to be as clear as possible if instructors are going to get any benefits.

Computer science professor Jerry Weinberg said sometimes student comments are a little confusing. "You tend to interpret when you don't know exactly what they mean."

Step right up to the fourth annual Greek Marchdown

BY TONY WATT
NEWS REPORTER

SIUE's fourth annual Greek Marchdown, "Stepping into the Millennium," will be at 6 p.m. Saturday at the Vadalabene Center.

The Greek Marchdown is a "stepshow," a rhythmic dance show performed by traditionally black Greek societies. It involves clapping hands, stomping feet and using the entire body as a percussion instrument.

"This is the fourth annual

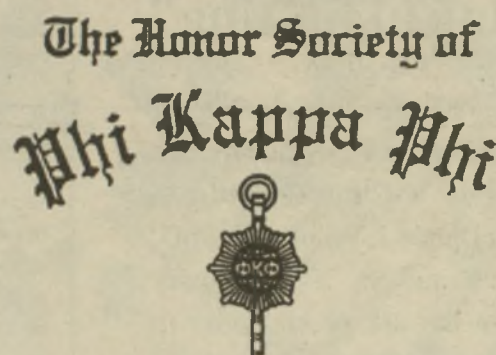
Marchdown," said Cheryl Heard of the Kimmel Leadership Center. "But it is a historical event that has gone on for many years. They are performing the stepshow because it really promotes who and what they are and promotes the history of black Greek organizations and what they represent."

In this year's stepshow, the African-American fraternities and sororities Alpha Phi Alpha, Kappa Alpha Psi, Omega Psi Phi, Alpha Kappa Alpha, Sigma Gamma Rho, and Zeta Phi Beta

will perform choreographed stepping, competing for prizes.

Heard said that the different organizations have been practicing for months to perfect their step routines.

Advance tickets will be available at Union Station. The cost of admission is \$15 for adults and \$8 for children 12 and under, and includes admission to the Aftersset party, a social dance hosted by a DJ. Tickets can be purchased at the door but do not include admission to the Aftersset party.



*The Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi wishes to congratulate
and welcome the following new members:*

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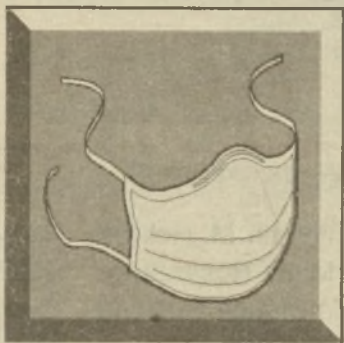
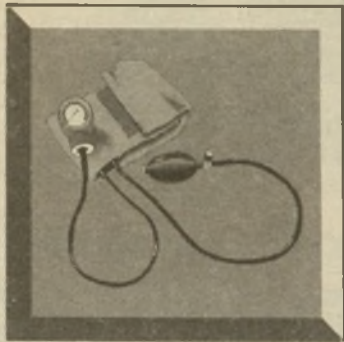
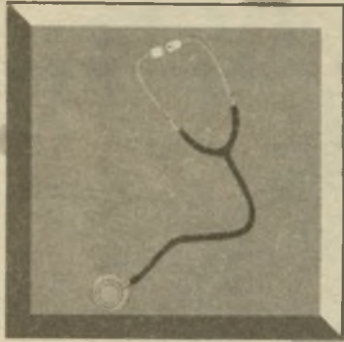
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“Critical Thinking in a Clinical Setting”



The Student Nurse Association at SIUE is sponsoring a free workshop on “Critical Thinking in a Clinical Setting”. Our guest speaker is Daniel J. Pesut, RN, PhD, CS, FAAN. Dr. Pesut is a nationally recognized expert in the use of creativity to encourage critical thinking. He has formulated an outcome process that approaches nursing challenges in a way other than the problem-solving method of the nursing process. As patient care becomes more complex in the health care environment, nurses have to be able to meet these changes and challenges in the clinical setting.

Dr. Pesut will be presenting the workshop in the Hickory Room of the Morris University Center at SIUE on Friday, April 23rd, 1999 from 3:30PM to 4:30PM. Admission is free and free refreshments will be provided. Dr. Pesut is a very motivational and dynamic speaker whose workshops are well attended. Please mark your calendars for this free event

LANDFILL

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Each pound of this garbage produces about 0.1 cubic foot of gas annually. When the gas production rate is multiplied by the millions of pounds of garbage buried in U.S. landfills, you end up with enough landfill gas to supply approximately 5 percent of the nation's natural gas needs, according to the National BioEnergy Industries Association, a trade group based in Washington, D.C.

A typical landfill can generate methane gas for 20 to 30 years or longer.

Methane gas is often an unused resource. It either escapes into the atmosphere where it causes air pollution and global climate change or it is burned in a flare, which is a waste of potential “green” energy. “Green” energy is low-polluting and generally safe for the environment.

According to the Environmental Protection Agency's Landfill Methane Outreach Program, more than 150 landfills in the United States are currently using landfill gas to generate electricity for fuel boilers in factories, schools and other commercial and industrial complexes.

Since methane gas is constantly produced by a landfill, a gas collection system must operate continuously. Typically, the methane gas is sucked by vacuum from a series of wells dug into the landfill. Once collected, the gas goes to a central processing plant where it is compressed and treated to remove moisture and other contaminants. Processing ranges from minimal to extensive based on the intended use of the captured gas.

“Depending on the type of electrical generation equipment used, this method to generate power can be more environmentally friendly than venting the gas into the atmosphere,” Morgan said.

“Such an undertaking can be feasible if, as is happening, the owner of the landfill decides to pursue the generation of electricity, including financing all the costs of the infrastructure to create the energy,” Morgan said.

“These expenses are then passed along to the purchaser of the electricity in the cost of the service,” he said. “Our study will assess the feasibility, after deregulation, of the county purchasing such a service.”

New government officials chosen

BY JOHN KLIMUT
ASSISTANT NEWS EDITOR

With less than a five percent turnout the new student government was elected last week. Only 663 SIUE students voted in this year's election.

Winners are: president, Heather Mueller; vice president, Dwayne Bess and student trustee, Elizabeth Bell.

Student senators are: TaWanda Causay, Antoinette Guthrie, Delano Redmond, Rubullah Mahdee, Jason Holzum, Suzy Durre, Kalii Ursery, Tammy Drilling, Keisha McWhorter, Jay Salitza, Bobby Harris and Jamie Dover.

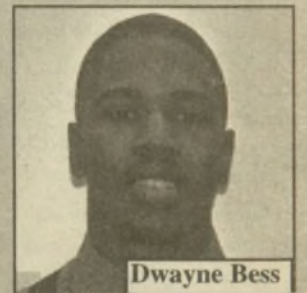
The new government body takes office this summer.

The government meeting Friday yielded no new business.

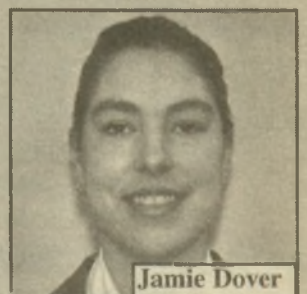
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Heather Mueller



Dwayne Bess



Jamie Dover

Enjoy Springfest this week

Alestle booth offers chance to see Steve Miller

Win Steve Miller tickets for Saturday's show at the Arena in Carbondale by stopping by the Alestle booth at Springfest and taking part in our caption contest.

Three photos will be on display. Simply fill out an entry form with your funny captions. The Alestle staff will pick the

winners and they will be printed in the paper.

There will also be a raffle for two \$25 gift certificates to the SIUE Bookstore.

Look for our booth outside Dunham Hall. We've got free bubble gum too.

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Tuesday, April 20

11:00 am	Student Organization booths open
11:00 am - 12:15 pm	Josh Smith and the Frost (Blues)
11:00 am - 1:00 pm	Oreo Stacking Contest
12:15 pm - 1:15 pm	Wacky Relays
1:30 pm - 2:45 pm	Dubtronics (Reggae)

Wednesday, April 21

11:00 am - 4:00 pm	Lefton Inflatable Games
11:00 am	Student Organization booths open
11:00 am - 12:15 pm	Drumfish (Modern Rock)
12:15 pm - 12:45 pm	Cake Walk
12:45 pm - 1:15 pm	Limbo Contest
1:30 pm - 2:45 pm	Alkaline Trio (Punk Emo)

Thursday, April 22

11:00 am - 4:00 pm	Lefton Inflatable Games
11:00 am	Student Organization booths open
11:00 am - 12:15 pm	Lo-Cash (Hard Metal)
12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	Banana Split
12:15 pm - 1:15 pm	Wacky Relays
1:30 pm - 2:45 pm	Mediterranean Soleil (Middle Eastern)

Sponsored by Springfest Planning Committee and the Kimmel Leadership Center.

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Lifestyle

People, Entertainment & Comics

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The Alestle

TUESDAY, APRIL 20, 1999 ◆

Alkaline Trio electrifies the Side Door

Alestle reporter talks with the trio about the facts, just the

BY TOBIE DEPAUW
LIFESTYLE REPORTER

Alkaline means basic, and basically, these guys just plain ROCK!

The group gave some students a marvelous preview Friday night at the Side Door in St. Louis. They opened for Orangetree's CD Release party along with Celery and First Grade Crush.

In my opinion, this was a great injustice. They deserved to be headlining. I think a good section of the crowd would agree with me. Upon Dan's (bass/vocals) request, the scene was set with only blue stage lights, "because rock n' roll comes from the blues." Already a fan of the boys, I knew I was in for a treat when I walked in the door. Another added bonus was a possible interview with a couple of the guys. I was more than pumped to see exactly what these guys could throw at me. Hopefully, I caught it all. Here's what happened as recorded by drummer Glenn Porter, who opted to write everything down

to keep his writing skills at a socially acceptable level. Together with Matt Skiba, lead guitar and vocals, I had a beautiful little chat with this Alkaline Pair:

Tobie DePauw: So guys, what exactly is it like to rock SO hard?

Matt: Very well, thank you. It's kind of like someone pushing bananas into your rectum.

Glenn: Well thank you! We love this stuff—we've dreamed of doing it since elementary school.

TD: For all the kids at home, what exactly would you call your music?

Alk2: Punk F—g Rawk!

TD: How do you feel about your music being called Emo?

M: We hate it!

G: Emo comes from EmoCore, and this is a better term. Emo now seems generic.

We get emotional when we play this music, but we don't want to be lumped in with a generic group. i.e. Emo Bands

TD: Are you planning on touring this summer?

Alk2: Yes! With Lustre

inspires those.

TD: OK, now let's get down to business and get to what is really important here. What are your favorite Simpsons characters?

G: Lisa. Well, no Bart, I empathize with him, you know, a misunderstood kid in a dysfunctional family.

M: Homer and Barney, even tie.

Dan (answered for by Matt and Glenn): Smithers. Straight up.

(Short break for Simpsons quotes)

TD: Right on. What's the first word that comes to mind when I say this word: Navel.

G: Fill. Unpierced.

M: TRUCK!

D(by M and G): Smithers! (Another break for more Simpsons quotes and mindless laughter)

TD: So what's your favorite

place to play in the whole wide world?

Alk2: Fireside Bowl, Chicago.

TD: So who's the best live acts you've ever seen? Nomeansno?

G: Yeah, but the Ministry/Lard/Pailhead Tour in '89 and Fugazi in '99 are tied with them.

M: Yeah, I have a three-way tie between Ani DiFranco '95, Fugazi '98, and Nomeansno.

TD: Rock on. Thanks to you I went and witnessed Nomeansno live. What a spectacle. What's your favorite place to regular when you're in St. Louis?

M: We don't come here often enough to have certain places, but we mostly like to hang out at the Side Door and Cris Debolt's house.

TD: If there was a degree in what you guys are doing right now, what would it be called?

G: Spelunking.

M: This is the School of Hard Knocks!

TD: Is this what you guys want to do for the rest of your



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Say What!?

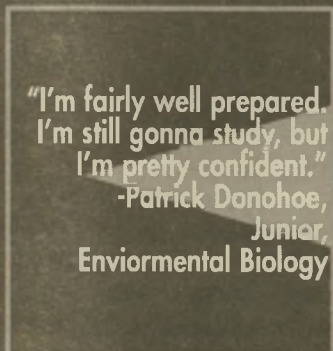
by Amy Wisneski

*Springfest is here,
the sign that finals
week approaches.
How ready are you?*



"Not at all."

-James Schagemann,
Freshman, Business

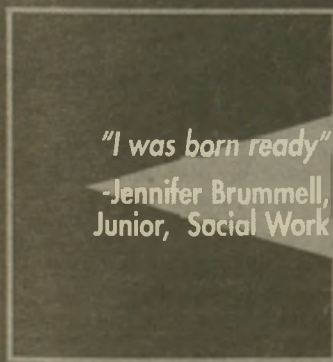


"I'm fairly well prepared.
I'm still gonna study, but
I'm pretty confident."
-Patrick Donohoe,
Junior, Environmental Biology



"As ready as I never
was before"

-Ben Still,
Sophomore, Studio Art



"I was born ready"
-Jennifer Brummell,
Junior, Social Work



"Oh...I imagine I'm
pretty prepared."

-Kristi Piatchek,
Senior, English Education

The latest installment of the Euro-trash diary

BY DAVID TATUM
GRADUATE ASSISTANT

A Eurobeat band from London, VNV Nation, is releasing a new album called "Praise the Fallen," which will make you wish they would "Eurobeat-it."

This dark, somber album is on the German hardcore dance label Off-Beat records and is being released in the United States on the Wax Trax! label. The glory days when Wax Trax! had bands like My Life With the Thrill Kill Kult and KMFDM must be over, since the label has resorted to releasing Euro-tripe like this.

This album really sounds like a German techno album. In the early 1990s this kind of lifeless electronic masturbation was all the rage, and dozens of boring albums came out of Germany every month.

The problem with this kind of music is it is all created on

keyboards. It is boring because it has no soul. There are no samples or non-computerized instruments to jazz things up. There is little to like about music so synthetic and lacking in personality.

What makes the album even worse is the subject matter of the songs. In the song "Joy" they sing, "Why am I alone, and why do I feel I carry a sword through a battlefield?" Wow, what a joyous sentiment. The band is based in Toronto now, but there are not many battlefields in Toronto so they must have looked hard to find ones they could carry swords through.

All the songs are about violent revolution and seizing the age. VNV Nation seems to think judgment day will occur in the year 2012, as they embellish upon in the song "Honour." What the hell's going on in Toronto, anyway?

The last three songs on the

album offer a sort of reprieve from the lambaste. "Solitary" is a slower song with a pleasant melody. The lyrics are more of the same: "Spoke of futures brave and proud and brought only hate and war," but are muddled and hard to understand, which is a good thing.

The last two songs are instrumentals without an annoying drum machine tacked onto them, so they are mediocre, as opposed to awful like the rest of the album. These final three songs occur too late in the day to save it.

VNV Nation's press release states that the band got its big break when they opened up for Nitzer Ebb on their Canadian tour. What a lucky break!

The album will be officially released May 4, but don't go rushing out to get this one unless finals week isn't misery enough for you.

ALKALINE, from page 8
life?

Alk2: Yes...

M: ...unless we win the lottery, in which case we'd then immediately join the Air Force. So, really, yes. This is what we want to do for the rest of our lives.

Alk2: Got any more questions?

TD: Nope, got any more answers? Anything else to say?

G: Yeah. We want a Bubble Chopper, so if anyone has a Popular Science from the early

'80s, give us a call. And if anyone has the Alkaline Trio tattoo, please contact us. You get in free to our shows. Yep, just like Rocket from the Crypt.

Alk2: peace.

I am sure the endless streams of sarcasm and laughs will never be properly portrayed in print, but this interview was hilarious. These guys needed absolutely no prodding at all to say funny things. They were great guys and wish to talk again someday, probably very soon. Seeing as they will be HERE!

On the SIUE Campus!
Tomorrow at 1:30 p. m. in the Quad during Springfest! I heavily encourage all of you people out there in Alestle-land to come out and see the Trio. They are worth skipping any class I can think of, but my priorities are a bit different than most. I guarantee an entertaining performance, so drop the books for a few minutes and take time to rock out. Now if I could only take time from rocking out to pick up some books, I might take part in this thing called higher education.



Sheri's picks:

If you're looking for enlightenment or at least a good time, check out one of my ace pick concerts. You'll have a hell of a time, but I'm making no promises. But if you look hard enough, you'll probably find me there!

Here's a tough one! Three great shows all in one night! I'll be at the Kiel, but if the other shows were on any other night, I'd be there!

KORN and
ROB ZOMBIE

Saturday
Kiel Center,
St. Louis
show @ 8 p.m.

Rock is Dead Tour finally makes it to the Midwest! Korn and Zombie are sure to excite the natives.

Fear Factory,

System of a Down,
Hea (p.e.) and
Spineshank

Saturday
Pop's,
Sauget
doors @ 7, show @ 8 p.m.

A heavy-metal convention! I wonder if Pop's will still be standing after this!

Reggae At Will

Saturday
Three~1~Three,
Belleville
show @ 10 p.m.

Stop in to hear chilling renditions of your favorite Bob Marley songs plus beautiful songs of their own.

On this date in 1990, Illinois quarterback Jeff George signed a four-year contract with the Indianapolis Colts before he was even drafted.

Sports & Cougars

Coming UPNext

BASEBALL
Saturday at IUPU-Ft. Wayne, Ind., noon.

SOFTBALL
Friday at Ferris State, noon.

TRACK
Friday-Saturday, SIUE Twilight/Multi (H).
Friday-Saturday, Drake Relays at Des Moines, Iowa (times TBA).

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The Alestle

TUESDAY, APRIL 20, 1999 ◆



BY TONY AMMANN
SPORTS EDITOR

Hockey

When the St. Louis Blues obtained Wayne Gretzky a few years ago, the Blues' franchise finally looked as if it could compete with blockbuster clubs like Detroit and Colorado. The addition of Gretzky would give Brett Hull a media vacation and guide St. Louis Blues hockey to its apex.

There was only one bump in the road that could keep Gretzky from signing a long-term deal and end his career in St. Louis. That bump was Blues' Head Coach/General Manager Mike Keenan.

Once again, the Blues had to face Detroit in the playoffs that year, and ultimately lost in a heartbreaking 1-0 defeat in Game 7. Gretzky did not have a great series, so Mr. Keenan basically told the media that it was Gretzky's fault.

Unfortunately, Keenan's classy mouth had more power than the greatest player in the history of hockey. As unfair as it seems, Keenan's high standards had more say than the millions of Blues fans who were willing to give "The Great One" more chances to bring a Stanley Cup to St. Louis for years to come.

So all those Blues fans who booed Gretzky when he returned to St. Louis as a Ranger didn't understand the situation. For some odd reason, Gretzky didn't exactly find it comforting to end his career as a soldier playing for a Nazi coach. Heil Fuhrer Keenan.

Football

This week, the Alestle and Coca-Cola present "The Bonehead Play of the Week."

The winner of the award goes to the front office of the Indianapolis Colts. Saturday the Colts drafted Miami running back Edgerin James instead of Heismann Trophy winner Ricky Williams. These people felt that Williams wasn't part of their equation.

Supposedly, that equation reads: E equals the Colts don't want to win anytime soon squared.

Quincy gives Cougars trouble

SIUE loses three games to first-place Hawks, falls to 14-6 in GLVC

BY CHRIS LAMB
SPORTS REPORTER

The Cougars hit the road this weekend to play four critical conference games. Wednesday they faced Southern Indiana University (27-13), the current third-place team in the Great Lakes Valley Conference standings.

Over the weekend SIUE played a three-game set against the No. 6 ranked team in the nation, Quincy (27-5-1).

Although SIUE battled hard in every game, the Cougars were unable to pull out any victories and dropped all four games, two of them by one run.

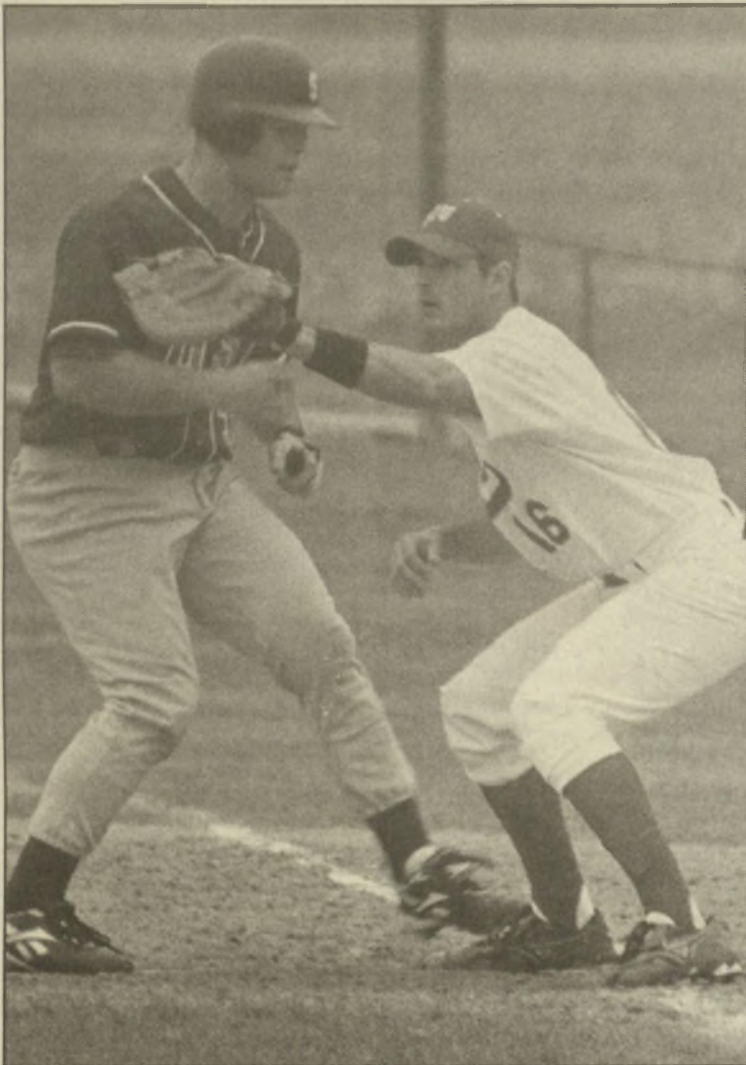
In Wednesday's match with Southern Indiana, SIUE trailed early 4-0, but evened the score 4-4 in the third inning by scoring four unearned runs. The Screaming Eagles regained the lead 9-4 with four runs in the fourth inning and another run in the seventh.

However, the Cougars quickly answered by scoring five runs in the eighth inning, led by a two-run triple by Mark Bugger to tie the score once again at nine.

The score remained tied going into the bottom of the ninth. Aaron Rakers was in relief for the Cougars. He walked the first batter for the Screaming Eagles, and it came back to haunt him.

The Eagles put runners on second and third, so all it took was a sacrifice fly to bring in the winning run for Southern Indiana. Rakers and the Cougars lost a heartbreaker, 10-9.

Bugger finished 4-for-5 with three runs batted in and two runs scored. Travis Dawson, Ryan Collins, Brady Arview, and Jason



Jill Stevens/Alestle

The Quincy Hawks are ranked No. 4 in the NCAA Division II Poll. Quincy remains undefeated in the GLVC at 16-0-1.

Abernathy added a pair of hits each.

Saturday was the first of three games against Quincy. The Cougars sent Brian Matzenbacher and his 8-1 record to the hill for the start. SIUE scored first with a run in the first inning, but Quincy answered with a run of their own in the second.

Quincy took the lead in the fifth 2-1, scored another run in the sixth, and then added three

more, all unearned, in the seventh to knock Matzenbacher out of the game and lead 6-1.

Abernathy hit a two-run home run in the ninth, but it wasn't enough as the Cougars fell 6-3.

Matzenbacher received only his second loss of the season, giving up two earned runs and recording nine strikeouts. Arview and Brock Friese had a pair of hits for SIUE.

Sunday's doubleheader was

even more important to the Cougars after losing the first game to Quincy. In game one, SIUE started Ryan Cox who entered the game with a 6-2 record.

Once again the Cougars scored in the first inning with a double by Bugger and grabbed the early 1-0 lead. It stayed 1-0 until the fifth inning, thanks to great pitching by Cox.

But in the fifth the Hawks evened the score 1-1, and the score carried into the ninth inning. Cox was still pitching, and his first batter faced in the ninth was Jason James. James ended it quick, as he homered to right field and gave Quincy the 2-1 victory.

Game two, unfortunately, was more of the same for SIUE. The Cougars jumped ahead early on a three-run triple in the third inning by Dave Crouthers, but that was all the Cougars could manage to score.

Quincy crept close with two runs in the fifth, and then blew it open in the seventh by putting a six spot on the scoreboard and taking the win 8-3.

Despite perfect play in the field with no errors, Rakers picked up the loss and dropped to 7-3 on the season. He had eight strikeouts to give him a team-leading 91 overall.

Chad Opel was 2-for-4, and Crouthers added to his team-leading 44 RBIs with his three-run triple. Dawson remains the leader in batting for SIUE with a .386 average.

SIUE's record falls to 30-15 overall, 14-6 in the conference. The Cougars will look to bounce back from the four game skid today against Lincoln University at Roy E. Lee Field.

Lady Cougar basketball team lands recruits

The SIUE Lady Cougars sign new players who have championship experience and raw talent

BY TONY AMMANN
SPORTS EDITOR

The SIUE women's basketball team has rejuvenated its team by recruiting three players for the future.

The Lady Cougars have signed Sarah Larson of Galesburg, Megan Grizzle of Salem and Liz DeShasier of Carrollton to national letters of content.

Larson, a 5-foot-10 forward, earned First Team All-State honors and was named to the Peoria Star-Journal first team this season at Galesburg.

Larson averaged 22.8 points per game and pulled down 8.1 rebounds per game as well.

Larson was a part of a Galesburg team that went to the championship game last year. That team also advanced to the state championships all four

years that Larson was a member of that team.

Grizzle, a 6-foot-1 center, was named honorable mention All-State last year at Salem. She averaged 12.0 points and had an impressive 9.7 rebounds per game. She was a part of a Salem team that advanced to the Elite Eight in the state tournament this season.

DeShasier, a 5-11 forward, also earned First Team All-State

honors, and was named the Alton Telegraph Player of the Year twice.

DeShasier averaged 13.7 points and 6.7 rebounds per game for Carrollton, which also advanced to the state championship's final game.

The new recruits will play their first game as Lady Cougars when SIUE opens the 1999-2000 season on Nov. 20 at home against McKendree College.

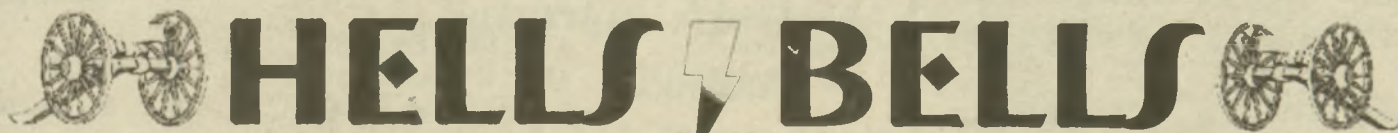
SIUE SOFTBALL BOXSCORES									
Thursday, Apr. 8									
Game 1									
SIUE	3								
Missouri-Rolla	2								
	AB R H BI								
Newman 3b	3 1 1 0								
Franzen c	3 0 0 0								
Uhrhan ss	4 1 3 0								
Sollberger 1b	2 1 1 1								
Messinger lf	4 0 2 1								
Mitts cf	3 0 0 1								
Kolda rf	3 0 0 0								
McCoy 2b	2 0 0 0								
Kaesberg dh	2 0 0 0								
Totals	27 2 6 2								
LOB-8. 2B-Uhrhan, Sollberger. SB-Messinger, McCoy, Wagner. CS-Mitts, McCoy. S-Franzen.									
Game 2									
SIUE	4								
Missouri-Rolla	1								
	IP H ER K								
Young (W)	7 10 1 1								
	AB R H BI								
Newman 3b	3 2 3 2								
Franzen c	4 1 1 1								
Uhrhan ss	3 0 0 0								
Sollberger 1b	4 1 0 0								
Messinger lf	4 2 3 3								
Mitts rf	4 0 2 1								
Kolda dh	3 1 1 0								
	AB R H BI								
McCoy 2b	3 0 1 0								
Wagner cf	3 1 1 0								
Totals	31 8 12 7								
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Obrecht (W)	7 8 1 2								
	AB R H BI								
Newman dh	3 1 2 1								
Kolda rf	4 1 1 0								
Uhrhan ss	4 1 2 2								
Sollberger 1b	4 1 1 2								
Messinger lf	3 0 1 0								
Mitts cf	4 1 1 2								
McCoy 2b	3 1 3 0								
VanderVinne 2b	3 0 1 1								
Kaesberg c	4 1 1 0								
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Mitts. SB-Kaesberg. S-Kolda, VanderVinne. SF-Newman.									
Game 2									
SIUE	9								
Southern Indiana	10								
	AB R H BI								
Friese cf	5 0 0 0								
Dawson lf	4 2 2 1								
Crouthers rf	4 2 1 0								
Bugger 3b	5 2 4 3								
Opel 2b	5 0 1 1								
Bergheger ss	4 0 0 1								
Collins c	5 2 2 1								
Arview 1b	5 1 3 1								
Abernathy dh	5 0 2 0								
Totals	43 9 14 8								
Errors-Bugger, Bergheger, Arview DP-1. LOB-10. 2B-Bugger, Collins. 3B-Bugger. SB-Dawson. SF-Bergheger.									
SIUE BASEBALL BOXSCORES									
Saturday									
SIUE	3								
Quincy	6								
	IP H ER K								
Wood	5 12 7 4								
Guest	1.2 5 0 1								
Sergott	0.1 0 0 0								
Rakers (L)	1.2 1 1 0								
	AB R H BI								
Friese cf	4 1 2 0								
Dawson lf	5 0 2 0								
Crouthers rf	4 0 1 1								
Bugger 3b	5 0 1 0								
Opel 2b	4 0 1 0								
Arview 1b	4 1 1 0								
Collins c	4 0 1 0								
Bergheger ss	3 0 1 0								
Huag dh	2 0 0 0								
Abrnthy ph/dh	2 1 1 2								
Totals	37 3 11 3								
Errors-Opel, Bergheger 2. LOB-10. 2B-Dawson 2, Opel. HR-Abernathy. CS-Dawson.									
Game 2									
SIUE	4								
Missouri-Rolla	1								
	IP H ER K								
Matzenbacher	7 10 2 9								
Edwards	1 1 0 0								

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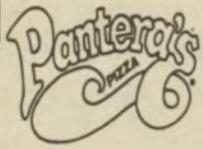


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WOMEN'S SOFTBALL STATISTICS

BATTING AVERAGE

1. Newman, Erin	.378
2. Mitts, Niki	.365
3. Messinger, Kim	.363
4. Wagner, Kim	.337
5. McCoy, Valerie	.313

RUNS

1. Newman, Erin	29
2. Messinger, Kim	28
3. Mitts, Niki	24
4. Sollberger, Sarah	22
5. Uhrhan, Mandy	20

HITS

1. Newman, Erin	42
2. Mitts, Niki	42
3. Messinger, Kim	41
4. Uhrhan, Mandy	35
5. Mitts, Niki	34

RUNS BATTED IN

1. Mitts, Niki	31
2. Newman, Erin	28
3. Uhrhan, Mandy	26
4. Franzen, Kari	18
5. Wagner, Kim	17

TOTAL BASES

1. Mitts, Niki	75
2. Newman, Erin	71
3. Messinger, Kim	56
4. Uhrhan, Mandy	51
5. Sollberger, Sarah	47

SLUGGING PERCENTAGE

1. Mitts, Niki	.652
2. Newman, Erin	.640
3. Messinger, Kim	.496
4. Sollberger, Sarah	.456
5. Wagner, Kim	.436

DOUBLES

1. Uhrhan, Mandy	13
2. Newman, Erin	12
3. Messinger, Kim	9
4. Mitts, Niki	6
5. McCoy, Valerie	5

TRIPLES

1. Mitts, Niki	6
2. Wagner, Kim	3
3. Franzen, Kari	2
4. Sollberger, Sarah	2

HOME RUNS

1. Newman, Erin	5
2. Mitts, Niki	5
3. Sollberger, Sarah	4
4. Franzen, Kari	3
5. 2 players tied	2

STOLEN BASES

1. Wagner, Kim	9
2. Newman, Erin	8
3. Mitts, Niki	5
4. Messinger, Kim	5
5. Sollberger, Sarah	5

EARNED RUN AVERAGE

1. Farmer, Dawn	1.79
2. Obrecht, Sara	1.92
3. Young, Katie	2.31

WINS

1. Farmer, Dawn	8
2. Silbe, Jessica	7
3. 2 players tied	5

STRIKEOUTS

1. Silbe, Jessica	34
2. Obrecht, Sara	19
3. Farmer, Dawn	17

MEN'S BASEBALL STATISTICS

BATTING AVERAGE

1. Dawson, Travis	.386
2. Crouthers, Dave	.365
3. Bugger, Mark	.362
4. Opel, Chad	.307
5. Friese, Brock	.299

RUNS

1. Dawson, Travis	42
2. Crouthers, Dave	36
3. Friese, Brock	36
4. Bugger, Mark	33
5. Opel, Chad	27

HITS

1. Dawson, Travis	64
2. Crouthers, Dave	62
3. Bugger, Mark	59
4. Opel, Chad	43
5. Friese, Brock	43

RUNS BATTED IN

1. Crouthers, Dave	44
2. Bugger, Mark	40
3. Dawson, Travis	31
4. Arview, Brady	28
5. Opel, Chad	25

TOTAL BASES

1. Bugger, Mark	88
2. Crouthers, Dave	85
3. Dawson, Travis	83
4. Opel, Chad	63
5. Collins, Ryan	55

SLUGGING PERCENTAGE

1. Bugger, Mark	.540
2. Crouthers, Dave	.500
3. Dawson, Travis	.500
4. Opel, Chad	.450
5. Abernathy, Jason	.410

DOUBLES

1. Crouthers, Dave	13
2. Bugger, Mark	12
3. Opel, Chad	10
4. Collins, Ryan	9
5. Dawson, Travis	9

TRIPLES

1. Dawson, Travis	5
2. Crouthers, Dave	5
3. Bugger, Mark	3

HOME RUNS

1. Bugger, Mark	3
2. Opel, Chad	2
3. Haug, Todd	2
4. Arview, Brady	2

STOLEN BASES

1. Dawson, Travis	28
2. Friese, Brock	18

EARNED RUN AVERAGE

1. Rakers, Aaron	2.02
2. Cox, Ryan	2.12
3. Matzenbacher, Brian	2.52
4. Blackwell, Cory	2.54
5. Guest, Jason	3.32

WINS

1. Matzenbacher, Brian	8
2. Rakers, Aaron	7
3. Cox, Ryan	6
4. Wood, Jared	4
5. Blackwell, Cory	4

STRIKEOUTS

1. Rakers, Aaron	91
2. Cox, Ryan	67
3. Matzenbacher, Brian	55
4. Blackwell, Cory	41

SIUE BASEBALL GLVC STANDINGS

NORTH DIVISION

1. Indianapolis	12-6
2. Saint Joseph's	9-10
3. IUPU-Ft. Wayne	7-12
4. Wisconsin-Parkside	7-13
5. Lewis	7-13
6. Northern Kentucky	3-15

SOUTH DIVISION

1. Quincy	16-0-1
2. SIUE	14-6
3. Southern Indiana	13-6
4. Missouri-St. Louis	9-5-1
5. Bellarmine	7-12
6. Kentucky Wesleyan	7-13

SIUE SOFTBALL GLVC STANDINGS

1. SIUE	13-3
2. Lewis	11-4-1
3. Southern Indiana	11-5
4. Missouri-St. Louis	10-6
5. Wisconsin-Parkside	7-9
6. Quincy	7-9
7. Northern Kentucky	6-8
8. Bellarmine	5-7
9. Saint Joseph's	5-8-1
10. Indianapolis	4-12
11. IUPU-Ft. Wayne	2-12

MEN'S TENNIS RESULTS

Friday

SIUE	5
Bellarmine	2

SINGLES

1. Mike Reither (SIUE) lost to Kyle Olson.
2. Keith Harvie (SIUE) defeated Kevin Ford, 6-3, 1-6, 7-6 (9-7).
3. Joal Stanfield lost to Colin Mitchell.
4. Justin Lombard defeated Chris Robinson, 7-6 (7-4), 7-5.

DOUBLES

1. Mike Reither and Keith Harvie (SIUE) defeated Ford and Pedrola, 8-1.
2. Joal Stanfield and Laramie Gavin (SIUE) defeated Mitchell and Robinson, 8-2.
3. Justin Lombard and Chad Kukorola (SIUE) defeated Olson and Gerard, 8-2.

Saturday

SIUE	5
St. Joseph's	0

SINGLES

1. Mike Reither (SIUE) lost to David Litman, 6-2, 6-1.
2. Justin Lombard (SIUE) lost to Curt Baumgartner, 6-1, 6-1.

DOUBLES

1. Mike Reither and Keith Harvie (SIUE) lost to Litman and Baumgartner, 8-6.
2. Joal Stanfield and Laramie Gavin (SIUE) lost to Stickley and Bales, 8-6.
3. Justin Lombard and Chad Kukorola (SIUE) lost to Scott Riggle and Justin Brown, 9-7.

SIUE's final record was 10-9.

*On Behalf of Academic Affairs, Student Affairs & The Athletics Dept
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Michelle Gilman
Jill Stenger
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Mike Reither

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Tattoos pay for your lunch

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) – Some people will do anything for a free burrito.

A Mexican restaurant offered a lifetime of free lunches to anyone willing to get a tattoo of its logo, Jimmy the Corn Man, a sombrero-wearing mariachi boy riding a blazing cornucopia. Just show the cashier the tattoo-any size, any part of the body-and get a free meal.

Since word of the promotion got out six months ago, 39 people have braved the tattoo needle for a permanent coupon at Casa Sanchez.

"Some people do it for the love of the art. I'm doing it for the beer and the taco," said starving art student Thomas Judd, 31, pacing nervously last week before getting the tattoo -

his first - on his right calf.

A much-tattooed Guido Brenner has a coaster-size Corn Man emblazoned under his right armpit, the only space he had left.

"Actually everybody's dug it, even my mom," he said. "She looked at me kind of funny and then I took her there for lunch. She was like, 'Wow, this restaurant is really good.'"

Marty Sanchez, whose grandfather founded Casa Sanchez in 1927, came up with the idea while testing a color computer printer. She taped a sign to the window with the restaurant's logo that read, "Tattoo me on yourself and get free lunch for life."

Her sister and brothers thought the idea was strange and

kept taking the sign down. She kept putting it back up. Two nightclub employees who learned the promotion was no joke took the plunge and spread the word.

Ribcages, calves, legs, arms and even buttocks have been prime sites for the logo.

"One guy said, 'I want to get it on my stomach because that's where my food is going to go,'" said Barnaby Williams, the owner of Mom's Body Shop who created about 30 of the Casa Sanchez tattoos. "I think people have gotten much stupider tattoos for much stupider reasons."

An \$80 tattoo pays for itself after about a dozen lunches (a \$4.50 super burrito with sour cream, cheese and guacamole, and a \$1.75 beer).

University of Illinois hires a panel of manure sniffers

CHAMPAIGN (AP) – So what do you get when you set out to find ways to rid hog farms of odors?

If you're among 15 women hired by the University of Illinois, the answer is obvious: the days of swine and noses.

The women will use their noses to determine how certain foods smell once the foods - to put it delicately - complete their journey through the digestive tracts of hogs.

While it is given that pig poop does indeed stink, researchers hope to find ways to reduce the smell by determining which kinds of diets create which kinds of odors.

"I will train the group to recognize certain chemical markers, and they will rank how bad the odor is in terms of human sensitivity," Susan Brewer, an associate professor of food science conducting the research, said.

While it may not be a surprise that researchers thought up this kind of project, the interest in participating is.

"People told me, 'You're never going to get people to smell that stuff,'" Brewer said. "I told them, 'Yes I will. Money brings them in.'"

And that's what happened. The day after the ad for the project appeared in a Sunday newspaper, more than 60 people called expressing their interest. Brewer settled on the 15 who will work three hours a week until July.

The women won't actually be anywhere near the business end of a hog. Instead, researchers will hang cloth swatches in confinement buildings while other researchers adjust the diets of the hogs.

Once the hogs have done their job, the swatches will be placed in glass containers and the women, ages 25 to 55, will sniff the containers.

Why women? It turns out that they have better noses than men, Brewer explained. Estrogen, she said, allows them to be more sensitive to scents.

While it may not seem like the kind of intellectual pursuit you might think goes on at bastion of higher learning, Brewer said it is a pretty standard way to conduct odor research.

As for the participants, they will be paid \$15 an hour, or \$45 a week. Nothing to sniff at, Brewer said.

"It's pretty easy money as long as you can put up with it."

Computer association hosts game tourney

BY BRIAN WALLHEIMER
NEWS STRINGER

As the semester draws near the end, many students are looking for a way to relieve a ton of stress.

The Computer Association of SIUE is holding a computer game tournament, called Scorched Earth, from 6 to 10:30 p.m. Thursday at Launch USA in Glen Carbon across from the

Cottonwood Mall.

Scorched Earth will consist of the games "Half-Life" and "Starcraft." "Half-Life" will be played by eight teams of four people and "Starcraft" will be a tournament for individuals. The format will be based on the number of players.

Associate professor of computer science Jerry Weinberg said the tournament is "stress relief by taking it out on a

computer game instead of fellow man."

CAOS usually sponsors two social events and a trivia contest each year. The members invite anyone interested to play in the tournament.

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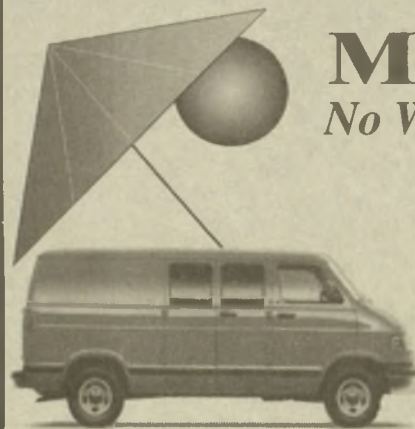
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